

SERVICE INFORMATION LETTER

LANDING GEAR (ATA SYSTEM 32), 3200A TAILWHEEL ASSEMBLIES, INCORRECT LABELING

1. BACKGROUND

Scott Aviation Tailwheel Assemblies Part Number 3200A may have been shipped with a cardboard tag attached to them marked "FAA-PMA" and "eligibility per Scott document 3900038." This service information letter is to inform you that the cardboard tag was erroneously attached to these Tailwheel Assemblies. If you have recently purchased a Scott Tailwheel Assembly P/N 3200A and have installed it on your aircraft relying on the markings on the cardboard tag that indicated Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Parts Manufacturer Approval (PMA), then this service information letter is to inform you that Scott PMA does not include Tailwheel Assembly P/N 3200A and that there is no eligibility listing in Scott document 3900038. Therefore, if you have installed the Tailwheel Assembly on an aircraft and relied on the cardboard tag to establish eligibility, you may be required to obtain a field approval of the Tailwheel Assembly installation. In the United States you may contact a Flight Standards District Office (FSDO) of the FAA. Elsewhere, contact the appropriate airworthiness authority. Additionally, if you have not installed the Tailwheel Assembly, you are requested to return it to Scott Aviation so that the cardboard tag may be removed.

2. EFFECTIVITY

Tailwheel Assemblies Part Number 3200A shipped from Scott Aviation from October 1, 1993 to December 31, 1994 may be effected. These Tailwheel Assemblies are used on "tail-dragger" style light aircraft. The 3200A Tailwheel Assembly has been installed as original equipment on Cessna Aircraft Company Models 305A, 305B, 305C, 305D, 305E and 305F. Tailwheel Assembly 3200A may also have been installed on other light aircraft. Because Tailwheel Assembly 3200A is not manufactured under PMA authority, any installation in the United States is required to have a field approval.

Scott Aviation records indicate that thirteen (13) Tailwheel Assemblies P/N 3200A were shipped from Scott during the period October 1, 1993 to December 31, 1994 and may have inadvertently had the cardboard tag attached to them. All thirteen Tailwheel Assemblies were shipped by Scott to Avsco, Airparts Company Inc. and Aviall, who, in turn, shipped them to other parties. This service information letter is being sent to Avsco, Airparts Company Inc. and Aviall, and to those other parties.

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3. ACCOMPLISHMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Inspect your records to determine if you may have purchased an effected Tailwheel Assembly P/N 3200A, have one in stock or had one installed on your aircraft.

If you possess an effected Tailwheel Assembly that has not been installed on an aircraft, please contact Scott Aviation to arrange to have the Tailwheel Assembly returned to Scott so that the cardboard tag may be removed.

Contact by **Fax**:
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716-681-1089

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If an effected Tailwheel Assembly was installed on your aircraft (the cardboard tag is removed prior to installation) and a field approval **was** obtained in the United States, or from the appropriate airworthiness authority elsewhere, without reliance on the cardboard tag, then no further action is required.

If an effected Tailwheel Assembly was installed on your aircraft (the cardboard tag is removed prior to installation) and a field approval **was not** obtained but, instead, the cardboard tag was relied upon during installation, then a field approval must be obtained. Contact your local FAA FSDO in the United States, or the appropriate airworthiness authority elsewhere.

If an effected Tailwheel Assembly was resold or given to another party, please forward a copy of this service information letter to that other party.

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